


REMARKS

Claims 1-21 were in the Application as filed. Claims 1-21 have been cancelled without prejudice in order to further the Applicants' business interests and the prosecution of the present Application. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute the original claims (or similar claims) in the future. Support for the new claims is found throughout the Application.

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